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6. It is estimated that from 60% to 70% of the NDPD members in Berlin were formerly members of the NSDAP. This figure cannot be stated exactly since the party questionnaire, in line with recent NDPD propaganda, does not require information to be set down on this matter. However, comparison of war-time positions with present-day positions held by the individuals concerned usually provides a good key. The NDPD is required to furnish the Soviet political officers in the Central Komendatura four copies of applications for membership in the NDPD, and pertinent data concerning the political past of the applicants must be added to the form by the person doing the recruiting.

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** This is a very optimistic project, as membership as of 1 September was 1,900.

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